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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A device for detecting and influencing the physiological and/or pathological state of the human or animal body, including a housing (1)—which has a first housing wall (1a)—that, in turn, has an outer surface provided for placing against thea body to be treated. A rotor (4)—is situated inside the housing (1)—and is rotationally driven about an axis (4a)—that is essentially perpendicular to the first housing wall—(1a). First magnets (6)—are mounted on the rotor—(4), and their magnetic fields are oriented in the same direction that is parallel to the rotation axis. An exceptional efficacy of the device can be achieved by virtue of the fact that at At least one additional magnet (5)—is situated essentially coaxial to the rotation axis (4a), the magnet being with a polarity of each being oriented in an opposite direction to the first magnets—(6).